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Hongkong, 26th April 1884

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B. Palliser, Portsmouth 20th November, Queenstown, Gibraltar, Malta, Alexandria,	Selected for	NOTICE.	HE Undersigned is instructed to Sell by Public Austien, on	FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND	DIN. be is universally looked FORD.	NOTICE.  COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
Suez, and Singapore 4th January.  nuary 10, Histor, British steamer, 1,589, H.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.	the 14th day of January, 1885, at Noon,	SINGAPORE	ABANAZAR, a magician in search of the lamp Mr. BRANDON.	MARITIMES.
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nuary 10. DIEMNAH, French steamer, 2,431.	PUBLISHED THIS DAY.	TION (HONGKONG BRANCH) are hereby	by 50, total contents 5,000 feet. Together	of Cargo by her are hereby informed that	THE GENIUS OF THE RING. Mr. PEUSSIAN.	"TANAIS."
Lequerré, Marseilles 7th Dec., via Naples, Port Said, Suez, Aden, Colombo, Singapore,	HONGKONG ALMANACK	of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the	22, 24, 26 and 28, Wanchi Road, and Nos.	of the Undersigned whence and/or from the	WIDOW   quote the Arabian Nights, Mr. P.	Captain Paul, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA.
Saigon, and Cape St. James 7th January, Mails and General.—MESSAGEBIES MARI-	1 8 8 5	Notes deposited.  HOLDERS of NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a	Grown Lease for the remainder of a Term	Whatves of doctor delivery has be desired	KAY. not possessed any beauty	TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at Noon. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
TIMES.	The Company of Company	schedule, in duplicate, giving the date of leave, Number, and amount of each Note produced.		TO-DAY, the 10th instant.  Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th	PRINCESS BALDROU- BOUDOUR, a vision of— Well, see for yourselves	
	Hongkong, Saigon, Haiphong, and Bangkok.	Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Oppics of the Oppics. Bank Con-	completion of the transfer, all Expenses of which	instant, will be subject to rent.  No Fire Insurance has been effected.	MAIDENS, MANDARINS, and MOB.	Tor Shanghal.  (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
10th, General.—Stemssen & Co. muary 11, Diamante, British steamer, 514,	of Singapore. Meteorological Observations for 1884.	PORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkoug.  For the  OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	Scene I.—HAND TEA-ROOM IN THE.	for CHEFOO, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.)
Stack Manila 8th January, General Rus-	Astronomical and other Notes—Mean Time, Conjugation, Opposition, Elongation, Right As- cension and Declination, Siderial Time, Average Daily Temperature		Hongkong, 9th January, 1884. [13:	Hongkong, 10th January, 1885. [146] STEAMSHIP "DJEMNAH."	Scene II _A STREET IN PEKING.	THE Steamship
Huiphong 8th Jan., General.—A. R. MAE-	Daily Temperature  Eclipses for 1885 with special reference to	1. MELITIES BLACKS	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	Scene III.—THE JEWELLED CAVERN	"GLENLYON," Captain Mackinlay, will be desputched as above TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at Four P.M.
TY. anuary 11. Mer. roo, American str., 1,284, W.	Hongkong Observations. Notes on Local Tides.	H. HOWARD TAYLOR.  Hongkong. 4th August, 1884. [48]	NOTICE.	MARITIMES.	Scene IV.—ALADDIN'S COTTAGE. Scene V.—IN THE SULTAN'S PALACE	For Freight or Passage, apply to
H. Lunt, Shanghai 8th January, General.	Woosung Bar Signals. Hongkong Civil Judicial and Military Es-	ONGRONG&BHANGHAIBANKING	THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. FREDERIC DELANO HITCH	1. MOTION TO CONSIGNATION	***	Hongkong, 10th January, 1885. [147]
anuary 11, DUBUEG, German steamer, 927,	Original Descriptive Account of Hongkong		RUSSELL & Co.	from London, Antwerp and Bordehux, in con-	PALACE.  Scene VII.—SALOON IN THE MAGIC	SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
Schulz, Singapore 3rd January, General.— CHINESE.	ture and Shipping. Observed Schools Religious Scientific Com-	PAID-UP CAPITAL		I meeting with shows bitearner, are neredy informed	and the state of t	FOR MANILA VIA AMUI.
Christiansen, Quinhon 8th Jan., Salt.—	Table of Local Shares showing their original	Dividends	FROM This Date we have admitted Mr. THOMAS KERR as PARTNER in on		Pieces, Dances, &c., will be introduced	"DIAMANTE," Captain Stack, will be despatched for the
STEMBSEN & Co.	value, present price Capital, Amount Paid, Dividend last declared, and yield calculated at	PRIETORS	Firm. A. G. GORDON & Co.,	whence delivery may be obtained immediately	FARANDOLE (OLIVETTE).	above Port TO-MORROW, the 13th instant,
Lindemann, Kobe (Japan) 5th Jan., General. —Siemssen & Co.	present prices. Signals at the Peak. Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea.	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— Chairman A. P. McEwen, Esq.	Bowrington Foundry.  Hongkong, 1st January, 1885.	Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless the consigned from the Consigned	COURTING IN THE MOON LIGHT.  JOYS OF DANCING.	For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,
annary 11, Kowshing, British steamer, 1,354, Webster, Shanghai 8th January, General	Postal Guide, specially revised.  Complete List of Local Stamp Daties.	Deputy Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. M. H. Forbes, Esq.	NOTICE.	before 2 P.M., TO-DAY (Sunday), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the	SAVING THEM ALL FOR MARY.	General Managers.  Hongkong, 12th January, 1885. (150)
—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  January 11, Ningpo, British str., Wm. Potts	Wages Tables from \$1 to \$290 per month	Hon. W. Keswick C. D. Bottomiey, Esq.	WE, HERMANN STOLTERFOHT CHARLES HIRST, the only remain	Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR	IN MY FIRST HUSBAND'S TIME.	STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA- NAGA-
Shanghai 8th January, General.—Siemssen	\$100.	Hongkong Thomas Jackson, Esq.	ing Partners in the Firm of HESSE & Co	DAY, the 17th January, 1885, at NOON, will be subject to rent and landing charges at 1 cent	DONE. WE ARE A MERRY RAMILY.	(Passing through the Inland Sea.) THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
& Co. January-11, Pering, British steamer, 954	Licenses, Registration Fees and Duties.  And a mass of other Local Information not	MANAGER. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. Lordon Bankers—London & County Bank	Continue the Business of the said Firm und	r per package per diem.	INCANTATION (from the SORCERER).	"THIBET," will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, th
Henermann, from Whampos, General,— Siemssen & Co.	otherwise accessible in any other form.  KELLY & WALSH,		STOLTERFORT & HIRST,	the 19th January, 1885, or they will not be recognized.  No Fire Insurance has been effected.	DEAD LITTLE INNOCENT THINGS WE ARE.	23rd instant, at DAYLIGHT.
January 11, Bellona, German steamer, 1,120 W. Schaefer, from Whampos, General.—		Hongkong—Interest Allowed.  On Current Deposit Account at the rate of the cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	I I Dartas Mr. THEODORK HESSE USS	Agent.	HAPPY-ELIZAAND CONVERTED JAN I CAN'T TELL WHY.	Hongkong, 10th January, 1835,
Stemssen & Co. January 11, Mindanao, Spanish steamer, 650	BREWER has just receive	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	was withdrawn. MR. OSCAR WEGENER has been auth	Honerone, 11th opinion, 12000.	DEAR ME, IS THAT POSSIBLE? SECULDER TO SHOULDER.	TO LET. WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION:
M. Tremoya, Manila 8th January, GeneralDUNN, MELEYE & Co.		For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	rized to Sign the New Arm per procuration. Hongkong, 1st Jan 1885.	TY O SS CO'S SS "AJAX"	I'M A SWELL. MIXED.	OUSE No. 26, PREL STREET.
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AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	Birds Eye, Returns. Sun Dried, Shag.	business transacted.  DRAFTS granted on London, and the chic	ef DURING MR. DENT'S obsence in Canton Mr. R. Comeze and h	m Undersigned not later than the 13th that r. for shipment per steamer "DIOMED."	YOU'RE ALL A LOT OF BAD 'UNS	Hongkong, 12th January, 1885.
City of Rio de Janeiro, Am. str., for Yokoham. Alwine, German str., for Kelung.	Sweet Caporal Cigarettes,	commercial places in Europe, India, Australi America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	CHARLES J. HARRENTE AND MINISTER PROCE	a- Hongkong, 9th, January, 1885.		NUREMBERG INTERNATIONA
Bellona, German etr., for Swatow.  Rory, British etr., for Swatow.	Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. Sweet Caporal Cigarettes.	Hongkong, 25th August, 1884	[6 tion. HERBERT DENT & Co Canton, 20th December, 1884. [23	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	NOTICE.  OF WILLARD begs to announce t	hat
Ajax, British str., or Shanghai.  Danube, British str., for Swatow.	Old Judge Cigarettes, Old Judge Cigarettes,	NOTICE.	NOTICE	have been notified that the Carro is being di	s. BY GENERAL DESIRE,	P.TATTOTOTOTO TO A TOTAL TO A TOTAL OF THE PARTY A T.S.
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Erlkonig, German bark, for Manila.  Achilles, British str., for Amoy.	Little Beauty Cigarettes, Little Beauty Cigarettes,	1.—The business of the above Bank will	be Ceased on the 31st December, 1884.	O ready for delivery from Craft or Godown	THEATRE ROYALICITE HALL.	
Emuy, Spanish str., for Manila. Hampshire, British str., for Nagasaki.	Little Beauty Cigarette	s. conducted by the Hongkong and Shangi Ranking Corporation on their premises	in are admitted as PARTNERS from this date. F. ENGLER & Co	Goods undelivered after the 16th instan	the 17th January, 1885.	Under the Patronage of His Majesty, The King
DEPARTURES.	JUST ARRIVED BY AMERICAN MAIL.	to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.	Saigon, 1st January, 1885.	Hongkong, 9th January, 1885.	The Plan of the Theatre is now open Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, where seats	at LOUIS II. OF BAVARIA.
January 10, FOORSANG, British steamer, for Whampon.	W. BREWER, Queen's Road.  NEXT DOOR TO HONGKONG HOTEL.	hai Banking Corporation will form a direction for the repayment of sums deposited.	in B. F. C. F. DUARD MEYER, of H.	"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.	be booked. Hongkong, 12th January, 1885.	[153 Entries must be made on or before
January 10, EMUY, Spanish str., for Manila.  January 10, CITY OF RIODE JANEIRO, Amr. st.	BOWRINGTON FOUNDRY,	the above Bank.  3.—Sums less than SL or more than \$250	at Interest hitherto hald in our FIRM by the	WULLIAM ARE RETRICTED OF LONDON AND		20th February, 1885.
for San Francisco.  January 11, Elsa, German str., for Haiphong	EAST POINT.	one time will not be received. No deposit may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year 4.—Deposits may be made on behalf of re-	MR. ADOLPH EMIL MEYER.	LS THE Steamship "BRECONSHIRE."	CITY HALL,	The Maynger of the Bavarian Industrial Museum
January 11, Hampshire, British steamer, f	ENGINEERS and SHIP BUILDERS,	tions, of Trusts, &c., in addition to the	De FERDINAND FRIEDRICH CHRISTI	Rickard, Commander, having arrived from	Wilmand ROTUTE SAIIVI.	
January 11, ERLEONIC, German str., for Mani January 11, Doris, German str., for Hollow.	and ashere, on most reasonable terms. PUNCT	U- Persons desirous of saving sums less the	LEMKE continues to sign per procuration.  MEYER & Co.  Hongkong, 1st January, 1885.	69 are heing landed at their risk, into the Godov	RE WILL GIVE	MOXICE.
January 11, Rosy, British str., for Swatow. Jenuary 11, Alwine, German str., for Kelur	Guaranteed.	stamps to a form to be obtained at the Halls at the Post Office. When the form is present	tor	of the undersigned, at Wanchai, No. 3, behi	A GRAND CONCER	HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY, LIMITED.
January 11, Breconsurre, British steamer,	or STEAM LAUNCHES, REPAIRS to the ENGIN	oredited one dollar.	ing PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the Undersigned Censes	the premises known as "Blue Buildings when and or from the wharvegor boats delivery in be obtained.  Optional cargo will be forwarded on, unlined.	COD COD	I N accordance with Clauses 47 and 99 of Company's Articles of Associa
Yokohama. January 11, De Bay, British str. for Whamp	os. Hongkongs let January, 1885.	3100 or more at their credit may at their opt	ng. the Fund of HUGHES & LEGGE	is TO-DAY	T H U R S D A Y,	an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING
PASSENGERS.	A FONG, PHOTOGRAPHE  Begs to inform the Besidents of Victor  and the Public generally that he has seem	hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit 12 months at 5 per cent. per samum interest.	the DESOLVED.  WILLIAM LEGGE, E. JONES HUGHES	No Claims will be admitted after the United baye left the Godowns, and all Goods remain	ods be will be kindly ussisfed by	HONGHONG HOTEL, is hereby Convened
Por Achilles, str., from Liverpool, &c.—Ca Roberts, and 91 Chinese.	the assistance of an experienced Europe	on Champs of any values	age Hongkong, 1st January, 1885.	No Fire Insurance has been effected.	Foll Particulars will be shortly announce	By Order, WILLIAM LEGG
Por Tongie ate from Voleshame - Man	was LOuiseland in Mrs "HARRET LIQUOTAS, Whi	0801 o "+ 1 - 1 11 and of 01 mon cont	por NOTICE.	ADAMSON, BELL & Co	Price of Admission, \$2.  Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9 P.	Acting Secretary
Per Glenlyon, str., from London, &c.—	Artistic Portraiture is well known in Chi se. N.B.—Mr. Douglas intends to introd all the leading improvements in Modern P.	ho daily balances. 9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gr	REFERRING to the Notice of atis Dissolution of the Firm of HUGI	ES Hongkong, 9th January, 1885	A plan of the Theatre may be seen and	Seats MAIL TABLES.
Chinese, from Singapore.  Per De Bay, str., from Shanghai,—11 Chin Per Himalaya, transport, from Portsmor	tography. Also, th, Has a Labora, Choicea, and more Comple	with a Pass-Book which must be presented w	oust SHARE and GENERAL BROKER in my	S. DIA S.	Reserved at Messrs. Lang. Chawfold & Hongkong, 10th January, 1885.	[140] THE TABLE of ARRIVALS and DETURES OF ENGLISH and FRENCH M
&c.—11 Naval officers, 194 scamen, 6 Milit Officers, 2 Ladies, 3 children, 185 Troops,	ary COLLECTION of VIEWS, than any other	Books, but should send them to be written at least twice a year, about the beginning	william Legg			NY. Anglo-Chinese Calendar can be had at 10 C
11 Women and 15 Children, and 2 Chinese.  Per Signal, str., from Pakhoi, &c.—100 C	to be purchased at his Studio or Mess.	January and beginning of July.  10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Regis	ster NOTICE.	TIME Steamship	Sole Proprietor—GEORGE NORVIL	Daily Fress, Onice,
	hos. Tharts of different sizes taken daily. STUDIO, ICE HOUSE LANE.	ed Letters containing Stamps or other Rec tances, and generally, correspondence as to	the WING to the Dissolution of the Fire	m of Cant Chardler having arrived from the al	THE THEATRE ROYAL, CALCUTTA,	5th January, 1885.  In the Martee of the Trust Deed for
Innes, 4 Europeans and 133 Chinese.  Per Ningpo, str., from Shanghai.—18 Chin  Per Duburg, str., from Singapore.—230.	080.	business of the Bank will, if marked UN HC	Break Carry Break Carry Break Carry	REB Ports, Consignoes of Cargo are hereby reque	der- THE CATERY PREAMED BOME	Benefit of the CREDITORS of the Es
nese.  Per Mei/oo, str., from Shanghai.—36 Chir		various British Post Offices in Hongkong	and date.  E. JONES HUGHE	signed for countersignature and to take in	PATRONS:	CHAN, and LI CHIT SHANG alia CHIM alias LI PIN PUI, lately tra
Per Olympia str., from Quinhon.—31 Chir Per Kowshing, str., from Shanghai.—0	om. MOVED to entirely New Premises. Ice Ho	RE 11. Withdrawals may be made on demonsor but the personal attendance of the Deposite	and, Hongkong, 1st January, 1885.	89 Cargo impeding the discharge of the stored of Consign	1988 The Proclement The Managin of RIPO	OUT, as the "CHEONG HING."
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Zacharith and 2 children. Capt. Smith. and	Mrs. The NEW STUDIO is specially constructed for taking Instantaneous Portraits, and is	on ness of the Savings Bank are exempt	from IN BANKRUPTCY.	Noon TO-MORROW the 10th instant.	en route for Shanghai.	the Registrar of the Supreme Court a
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On Saturday, 27th December, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore, by the Ray, A. Armitage, Vicar of St. John's, Cheltenham, uncle of the bride, HER-BERT POATE, of Hongkong, to AMY, daughter of Bichard Armitage, Esq., of likley, Yorkshire. [149]

HONGKONG, JANUARY 12TH, 1885.

THE plan of employing convicts on public ation for some time in this colony, and on away, but one of these men was arrested a day or two afterwards and the other some months later. It was a similar occurrence to this that caused Sir ARTHUR the chain gang outside the gaol. It is of course very undesirable that convicts should The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains have any opportunity afforded them to escape from custody, but we cannot think that the very occasional occurrence of escape any good reason for keeping the whole of the convicts employed only on useless labour in the gaol, such as turning the crank or shot drill. It is but reasonable that they should be compelled to contribute something labour on the public works. Such employment must also be much better for the men themselves, as its tendency will be to prepare them to earn an honest living when they leave the gaol should they be so disposed. In some of the states of America the was due to the news received that two French system is adopted of selling out the labour of the convicts to the highest bidder, who 1 the time-of-his-contract with the Govern-Thermometer, Rainfall, Eclipses, Festivals, &c. | ment, and then returns them to the custody of the proper authorities. This is a system which would hardly be likely to work wel in Hongkong, and it is also entirely a posed understand they have left to join the Southern Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c. to the theories of the British Government Squadron at Kinng vin: with regard to the suppression of crime and the treatment of criminals. There can be no valid objection, however, to convicts bethe Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong, ing usefully employed on public works, uncome into operation, also tables of COURT lieve, is not in force at the present day,

means most of the roads throughout the behaved, and shortly after my arrival at stated that although her husband was much the moment he heard that she had fallen in with a party of convicts employed in roadsafety." It seems the convicts were also employed to exterminate the tigers which that time the annual loss of life by these beasts was estimated at two hundred, and in 1865 General CAVERAGE sanctioned the employment of convicts to hunt them down. main, merely coming in to a monthly muster, so long as they succeeded in killing one tiger eight tigers per annum. A reward was paid for each beast killed, and the number so soon diminished that the necessity for sending out parties of this description ceased. In this case, at all events, it must be allowed that the services of the convicts were turned to good account. Fortunately we have no tigers to kill in Hongkong, at least no maneaters, the animals which are said to pay us an occasional visit being apparently quite satisfied with pork. We cannot say, either, The Treaties between Great Britain and that we should have much faith in the prowess of the ordinary Chinese criminal as a hunter of wild beasts. He may, however, be very usefully employed where there is any

> A telegram in the Brisbane Courier, dated London, 1st December, states :- "A call of £10; the late Oriental Bank, payable on the 15th January. The liquidator estimates that during the year the creditors of the bank will be paid 19s. in the pound."

trust he will continue to be turned to ac-

count in this way.

commander Richard Murray Rumsey, R.N., Chinamen, but why should we have "Mr. Cheung Chemulpo on the 23rd December for the capital dition to our chief line of defence now proposed. Assistant Harbour Master, reported his arrival Loy," the shroff, and "Ko Sing Nam," the com- (after prolonged negotiations with the Japanese We believe that it has been carefully thought on the 1st inst. The Governor has, in addition pradore? Fancy the London Directory with Minister, to hold a conference with H.M. the out, that it will be amply sufficient for all that to the above office, appointed Commander Rum- Mr. and Esq. stuck all through it at the discre- King. Bitter complaints have been made that our safety requires, and even more. Indeed, its sey to be a member of the Board of Examiners | tion of the compilers. It is to be hoped that the | no mails have been received in Korea during the justification is that even superflous caution is the provisions of Ordinance 17 of 1873.

The delivery of the French mail was begun at 0.30 yesterday morning.

H. M. S. Zephyr was at Wenchow on the 3rd instant, but was to leave on that day for Ningpo.

The Messagories Maritimes steamer Tanais. which arrived here on Saturday from Japan and Kelung brings news of the arrival at the latter place of the first batch of reinforcements for Admiral Courbet. These were the 920 men who passed through Singapore some time since in the transport Cholon on the way Dock Company. to Kelung direct. The Bienhoa was also expected to arrive in a few days, so news of further offensive operations on the part of the French may be expected very shortly.

The following returns of the average amount of Bank notes in circulation and specie in reserve in Hongkong, during the month ending 31st December, 1884, as supplied by the respective banks are published in Saturday's Gazette :-

AVERAGE SPECIE IN AMOUNT. BESKRYE. Chartered Mercantile Bank 230,240 of India, London, and Chins. Chartered Bank of India. 771,384 2,840,420

23,842,044 \$2,180,000 Sir Rutherford Alcock has an article in the Contemporary Review on France and China, in which he declares that " there are two conditions attending the recent progress of the French schemes of colonization in the East which justify England in the exercise of a jealous vigilance. The first is the avowed object by means of such territorial acquisitions, in the fair way and main route of our great Eastern trade, to menace and damage that trade and all English interests now and hereafter. The second is the equally-plain and declared object of excluding . English (and foreign) trade from competition with their own

wherever their influence extends."

The Ceylon Observer , says :- The O. B. C. business men and lawyers in Ceylon, on account 6th, some hours beforeshe was expected. The Iron, Sugar, &c., have increased, and only a few of the capacity, breadth of view, and liberality time occupied was 65hrs, 10min, or 13:35 knots small lots have been placed. Telegraph comworks outside the gaol has now been in oper- he is displaying. The confidence placed in Mr. Welton by the Chancery Judges is also astonishing to those who know how differently an the whole seems to have worked well. On estate of this kind would be dealt with if under one occasion, it is true, two prisoners broke the jurisdiction of the Ceylon Courts. The ports having passed on the 10th instant, at O. B. C. Liquidator has got power to carry on plantations, to give debtors a long time to pay, and altogether his action has had a most beneficial effect on the credit of Ceylon and on the results of the liquidation. Had the O. B. C. properties in Ceylon been secrificed by being KENNEDT to discontinue the employment of forced to a premature sale, the results in assets would have been very different. Mr. Welton and Sir Arthur Gordon deserve the good fortune of tea property in Ceylon so rising in value by May next (when the China tea season opens) that O. B. C. notes, if not shares, should go to a

The Mercury of the 5th instant says :- The Chinese corvettes Nanshuen and Nanshin. which have been lying at the Arsonal for some weeks past, left here simultaneously for Woosung yesterday afternoon. They appeared to be in complete fighting trim, their top rigging being taken down to the bare lower masts, and they to their own maintenance by expending their were painted from the tops to the water's edge a dirty dark grey. There seemed to be a considerable number of warriors on board, and Europeans were in command of the vessels. Their departure was witnessed by a large number of people on shore, and rumours of the wildest nature were soon affeat. According to the version of some, the departure of the warships men-of-war were in sight of Woosung; they had arrived here in consequence of the late affray in the French Concession between the Municipal takes the men away, uses their services for Police and men-of war's men belonging to the above-mentioned Chinese war-ships. Others again said that affairs in Korea had taken a very serious aspect, and that they were ordered to proceed to render assistance. Others, finally, thought the vessels were at last leaving for the long-talked-about expedition to Formesa. We

We have received from Messra. Kelly and Walsh a copy of "The Hongkong Almanack for 1885," compiled by Mr. Brace Sliepherd. It consists of 130 royal octavo pages and is well printed, but it is a pity that it is not bound so as to open der the surveillance of the proper officers more freely, the reading of a book which is mereand subject to well considered regula- We presume that the work has been undertaken This issue contains the New Scale of Hong- | tions. At Singapore this system, we be- more as a labour of love than with a view to profit, as the sale must be purely local, and that probut it seems that formerly the convicts were whose benefit it has been got up, as the first half, bably very limited. Indeed, we cannot think for made to do some very good work in that "Celestial Phenomena," can interest hardly any Colony. General Sir ORPEUR CAVENAGE, & but seafaring men, and they have it all in the Nautical Almanac," while there is scarcely anyof closely printed matter, to which reference is former Governor, in his recently published thing in the second half that is not to be found reminiscences, says: - " A very great number, in the local Directory. The information seems to be better brought up to date than in last year's issue, which in some parts was very much some church at Singapore, were erected en- behind. We would suggest that in a "Hongtirely by convict labour, whilst by the same kong Almanack" it would be more appropriate if the list of "Remarkable Events" were confined to those connected with Hongkong or three stations were constructed and kept in China. For instance, who wants to know when order. As a rule the convicts were very well Douglas Jerrold was born or when Dr. A. Bell, educationist, died? There may be some who are eager to know when Yenns will be in conjunction Singapore, I was much struck by a remark with Mars, and if so we commend the compilation made by the commissioner of police, who was to their notice, as it mainly consists of such facts, referring to the case of a lady who had wan- has been carefully examined with the endoavour and especially as the editor says that "the type dered into the jungle and lost her way; and to reduce any possible errors to a minimum, whatever may be meant by that expression Some additional information has been added to alarmed, as she wore some valuable jewels, the present issue, which "extends to a concise description of the Colony." If the same facts had been stated in three pages instead of six they would not only have been given more concisely making he ceased to, have any fears for her but the production would have ranked much higher as a specimen of English composition. For example, we have a description of the Praya where are the "storehouses of merchants, shipabounded in the island twenty years ago. At pers and traders;" then one of the Queen's-road running its whole length, on which are the houses of "professional gentlemen, storekeepers and traders," and next one of the steep slopes of the hills, "occupied by the shops and stores of traders." We have said that the work was no doubt undertaken as a labour of love. Two parties of eight men each were sent into and probably one of the principal objects the jungles, where they were allowed to re- was to enable the author to work off some of his little jokes. The name Hongkong means, we are told, "fragrant seaport" because "the place could be seented from afar as a port for money every three months. - This would account for making" and therefore "was fragrant in the nostrils of the Chinese merchants and traders who

congregated there to make money." To all except those who have sailed over the eastern part of the island in a balloon it will be information that the Tytam and D'Aguilar peninsulas "give the general effect, to a bird's eye view of the island, of a beast of burden advancing on its hind legs towards the Canton river, with a load on its back and its hind legs cut off." In the list of buildings is mentioned "St. John's Church, Cathedral." This is the first time we have

under sub-sec. 4 of sec. 15 of Ordinance 8 of 1879, Editor will meet a reward in some form for last six weeks, but H.B.M.'s gunboat Espoir or better than the smallest neglect in a matter and also to be a Collector of Light Dues under the time and labour that he must have spent over Merlin was expected to leave Shanghai for which is vital to our interest—nay, even to our the compilation. -

The Italian corvette Vetter Pisani, which left | Amoy on the 31st December, arrived at Shanghai

on the 6th instant. The steam-tug Hercules, built by the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company to the order, of Captain Theband, left here on Saturday for Manila in tow of the steamer Emuy.

The steamer Welcombe, which leaves here for Manila to-day, takes two new steam launches built to order by the Hongkong and Whampon The steamer Strathairley arrived at Manila

from Liverpool vid Pennng and Singapore on it was soon got under. Freemasons in Shanghai will learn with regret that the resignation of Right Worshipful Bro-

ther C. Thorne, as District Grand Master of

Northern China, has been accepted by the Grand Master of England .- Courier. .. Attention is directed to the programme of the next performance of the Willard Company, for which Byron's popular hurlesque " Aladdin" has been selected. The Company will be assisted by

several gentlemen amateurs. under the Hongkong Ordinances as a Company | denced and properly guarded.

with liability limited by shares.

The Tientsin correspondent of the N. C. Daily News says :- Next year there is a prospect of a ber, Messrs. Bash Brothers, of Newchwang are made, agreement will follow.

quidator is winning golden opinions among stant and arrived at Woosung at 6 a.m. on the an hour against the monsoon.

> The British steamer Ningpo, Captain Potts. 10.30 s.m., a sunken junk in lat. 23.49. N., long. 118.6 E.; the craft appeared to be a large one, her mast head being about ten feet above water. Sh is in the track of vessels bound Northwards.

The London and China Telegraph hears tha several vessels loading for China in the docks in London are at present taking in munitions of war under the guise of pickles and such like stores, and that on their arrival in China, should matters be favourable, they might be turned into privateers and endeavour to run the blockade and deliver their cargoes.

negotiations between France and China have been recpened in Europe, with much hope of a free-to-deal with the Korean complications. peared, either he had sunk or one of the shots Mutual concessions may therefore be expected had hit him. to lead to a permanent understanding.

By the French mail steamer Tanais, My Jameson (Messrs: Croker and Jameson, engineers) returned from Kelung on Saturday, where | day :--he had been engaged in effecting repairs to the engines of the steamer Dora Tully, which had been lying there disabled some time. The repairs were effected successfully, and the vessel was able to proceed on her voyage.

The German barque Joe Rauers, Captain December for New York, with a cargo of sugar, was wrecked on the 11th of the same month six miles to the West of Bancoran island. The Captain and crew took to the boats and arrived at Balabac on the 15th, and were taken on to Manila in the steamer Gravina

The Ocean Steamships Co.'s steamer Hector when a good portion of her journey had been acweather was line, and there was a good favourable monsoon, so that with all sail set the vesse was able to make decent progress. The steam-tug Func was send meet her.

We quoted the Times of Egypt recently to the intended for sale to the Chinese the action of were to have been shipped to China. The guns, but when the Glencos arrived at Suez, it of Hongkong. was found that the Egyptian Government had refused to ratify the sale, and so the steamer hadto leave without her cargo.

The British troopship Himalaya, with Nava and Military reliefs on board from home, arrived here on Saturday morning. She left a number of reliefs for the Singapore Garrison, and those brought on here are composed of 10 officers and 104 non-commissioned officers and men for the Navy, and 6 officers and 185 non-commissioned officers and men for the Garrison, of whom 155, are for the Buffs, fifteen for the Royal Artillery, nine for the Royal Engineers, three for the Army Medical Department, and one for the Staff. Quarter Master Sorgeant Brown. There are also eleven soldier's wives and fifteen children. The Naval officers brought out are Capt. Schomberg, commander of H. M. S Audactous, who was relieved at Singapore from the sommand of H. M. S. Curacea, in which capacity he had been tempora rily acting on account of Capt. Anstruther sing invalided home, Staff Surgeon C. Harvey. who is intended for the Yokohama Sick Quarters lients, G. S. Hawker, W. J. Grogan, and W. H. Evre, all for the Andacious, Sub.-Lieuts E. R. Sankey, H. E. F. Worthington, H. T. B Somerville (Audacious), Assistant Engineers W. Monkhouse (Cleopatra) and F. Jarvis Audacious). Staff Surgeon Harvey brings with him Mrs Harvey and The Military officers are Major H. W. Maclear J. Young, R. A.; Lieuts. E. Buttanshaw, Yard wharf by Naval Yard launches. The Himalaya will be at this port about a week, and making the return voyage visi the Cape. : "

H.M.S. Espoir arrived at Shanghai on the when she left everything was quiet-at Chemulpo. letting that pass, we may ask whether the Albatross; American, Ossipes; German, Iltis; lands at Wong-nei-chung are now being drained Japanese soldiers were with Mr. Takezoye the 21 members." and formed into public gardens. Strangers to Japanese Minister, and Mr. Inouye, High Comis particularly dry, so dry as to pump tears from Chemulpo and Soul, waiting for an audience brook's speech on the Navy the Daily News, the eyes of many, when the Sun is South of the with Their Excellencies Yonghwi and Che-hel- which believes that the statement of the Gov-Equator." We confess that when we read ho, the Korean representatives in the conduct ernment will be received with "general satisfac-London, 1st December, states:—"A call of £10 this the tears came from our eyes, no doubt of negotiations. The Shen-pao publishes a tion," says:—"The question is often asked why per share has been made on the shareholders of "pumped," but whether it was owing to the Sun telegram announcing the arrival of the King the navy cannot protect its own coaling stations; being at the present time South of the Equator of Korea at Shan-hai Kuan. This (says the but the answer is that the navy has other work we will not say. The tables of population, income | N. C. Daily News) is serious news, if true, and to do, that it is meet needless and costly to employ and expenditure, and shipping will be useful further complications may be feared. The ships in such duties, and that these stations, occasionally, but these are about the only items Mercury hears that a strong Chinese naval and instead of depending on the fleets, should be of general interest in the book which are not military force is at present assembled in Mas- places to which the ships may run for refuge The following extract from a private letter already in the hands of every one in the colony. sampo, fifteen miles to the southward of Che should it be needed. The suggestion that further dated Hankow, 3rd instant, is published in the There is one most comical feature in the Almanack mulpo, ready to commence operations against inquiry is to be made into the sea defences of our Shanghai Courier :- The river bed opposite Han- that we had almost forgotten to mention. Of the Japanese at a moment's notice, but that they dockyards and the protection of our commercial kow is dry for a distance of 520 yards from the course, as Mrs. Grundy says, the line must be had strict orders not to commence warlike opera- ports will be received with mingled feelings. Band. Only a very narrow channel of water left. drawn somewhere, but why does Mr. Shepherd tions, without provocation from the Japanese. But it is one thing to build a series of forts all the Excellency P. G. von Möllendorff, Vice- round our shores in a panic, and another to look ed huts are built now, and pony riding and foot. Secretary's Office and after the second in the President of His. Korean Majesty's Foreign carefully and coolly after our weak places and ball in the middle of the river are the order of Treasurer's Department? If the one is an Office, has been raised to several other high apetrengthen them. The proposal to spend resquire why not the other? The title esquire pointments in the Korean Government since 2825,000 on our coaling stations is altogether being a remnant of the feudal system, nothing the last miscarried coup d'état, or Palsoe Reune de la last miscarried coup d'ét

H.M.S. Fly left Singapore on the 27th Decomber homoward bound, calling at Colombo.

The Mercury understands that since the Nansing has discontinued to run to Korea the Chinese merchants intend chartering a foreign steamer. in opposition to the Japanese boats; much cargo ing for a peaceful settlement of the Franco-Chihas had to be shut out lately, both in Japan and ness question. Korea; for want of steamer accommodation. There was no ice in the port of Jonehuan on the 29th of December, when the M.B.M.S.S. Co.'s packet Chitose Maru left Chemulpo

"Atlas" writes in the World :- I hear that the 3rd instant. On the 7th, while lying in the Mr. C. T. Studd, the cricketer, has made up his harbour, fire broke out in her coal bankers; but mind to become a missionary, and will leave England early in the year, probably for China. Mr Swann, of the C.U.B.C., will possibly accompany "T. C." If muscular Christianity be worth anything at all, the two "Blues" should prove high y successful in their new field of labour. And they will set out with the good wishes of all oricketers and athletes...

President Arthur, in his message to Congress says :- "In view of the large number of vessels built or purchased by American citizens in other countries, and oxclusively employed in legitimate traffic between foreign ports under the recog-At an extraordinary meeting of the share- nized protection of our flag, it might be well to holders in the Hall and Holtz Co-operative Com- provide a uniform rate for their registration and pany, held at Shanghai on the 6th instant, rose- documentation, that the bond fide property lutions were passed to register the Company right of our citizens therein shall be duly evi-

In their last circular, dated the 30th Novem dispute about the invigation of the Amur, say :- "Imports of all kinds continued to arrive way and expected to arrive in the course of the Up to £ 5, or \$25, or 50 Rupees ... Ousuri, and Sungari rivers. The Chinese will till the end of the season, and the last few steahave to observe the terms of the St. Petersburg | mers brought over 10,000 bales of raw cotton treaty, and probably, when formal reclamations from Shanghai, the first parcels of which met a good market at Tls. 13 per picul, but the later arrivals could not be placed atover Tls. 8. Two The P. & D. statumin Tasmania made a very cargoes of Russian seaweed came to hand per good passage up to Shanghai from Hongkong. steamers Amigo and Elsa, and are being realised She left Hongkong at U.E. m. on the 3rd in. at Tls. 1.50 per 912 catties, which leaves a good. The general management of the villages is in the by the same mail. munication is open between this port. Tientain. Shanghai, &c.

The chartered French transport Chander nagor, with 1,000 troops of the Legion Etrangere, arrived at Singapore from Algiers on the 27th December, but had to anchor in the quarantine ground owing to some cases of sickness amongst the troops. She left again the following day, and it would seem she was not kept in quarantine, as she was allowed to coal at Tanjong Pagar wharf. From the Straits Times we learn two soldiers described from her as she was lying alongside the wharf. As the transport was getting under weigh the following morning, and when rounding New Harbour, another soldier immed into the water. The guard fired a shot hitting the man in the arm; he succeeded, how · The Courier says :- We are glad to know that ever, in swimming ashore. Two other soldiers immediately afterwards followed the example of their wounded comrade, and the sentry fired five successful result. The French people are tired | shots at them. One of the men was seen above of the war, and the Chinese are anxious to be | water after the shots, but the other had disap-

> The following items are taken from the London papers received by the French mail yester-

> In the House of Commons, on the 3rd Decemper, Mr. Richard asked the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs whether the Government claimed the right, under existing treaties and conventions with the Government of China, for British merchandise to enter into Tibet; and whether the right to introduce opinin was included in such claim.—Lord E. Pitzmaurice: The treaties and conventions between this country and China do not stipulate for the entrance of British merchandise into Tibet.

Admiral Peyron, the French Minister of Marine, has received intelligence of the boiler explosion on November 11th on board the French man of war Rigault de Cenouilly, one of the vest with the following results: arrived safely in the harbour on Saturday. Sha sels of Admiral Courbet's squadron. The cause left Foochow on the 7th instr- for this port, and of the disaster is still unexplained. Two quartermusters, one engineer, and eleven seamen or complished her shaft broke. Fortunately the stokers were killed. Admiral Courbet has had the five remaining boilers tested, the result of the examination being quite satisfactory. The Rigault de Genouilly will be able to continue in

effect that the Egyptian Government had sold mons, Mr. Cropper asked the Under Secretary and V. T. Bunbury 52 (not out) for Ireland. some Krupp guns to a German firm, but had of State for the Colonies whether, as stated in refused delivery, in consequence of the French the Patt Mall Gazette of the 2nd inst., "the the Egyptian Government was not a friendly lonial Office, has allowed four French vessels Coxon and Bunbury. The N. C. Daily News learns that the under Admiral Lespes, which are actually en-Glencoc, which arrived at Shanghai on the 3rd gaged in hostile operations against China, to instant, was the steamer by which these guns provision in the harbour."-Mr. Ashley: We have no information about the matter as yet, but bowlers of The World, and the innings closed owners were telegraphed to reserve space for the | we have inquired by telegram of the Governor

> Sir D. Currie, speaking in the House of Coma personal explanation. During the debate upon the Navy, and while I was in the lobby for a brief interval, the Surveyor-General of Ordnance contradicted one of the statements in my speech. He is reported in The Times t have said :-- "The hon, member for Porthshire stated that the Government had never sent (guns) to Hongkong until after the appearance of an article in the Pall Mail Gasette. But they had sent these guns long before—viz., last June. Mr. Speaker, I said nothing whatever about guns. What I did say was this:—" Hongkong was only ordered to be fortified when the Pall wore thrown, swey. Runs continued to come Mall Gazette sounded the first note of warning quickly, and it was not till 178 was totalled that as to the state of the Navy in September last. The instructions to fortify were then despatched by telegraph." Now, this is confirmed by the following extract from a letter, written by The Druitt being then not out with SI. Stuart then Times correspondent at Hongkong on the 17th of September last, three days after the first came even quicker than before, and Druitt soon article in the Pall Mall Gazette on the state of the Navy:-" During the week a telegram has obtained his century. After scoring 36 Stuart been received from England ordering the im- seemed to play one of Hendry's hard, but mediate commencement of the works already ball must have apparently struck his leg, as he chit coolie, if such a being exists, to deliver, it sanctioned for the protection of Hongkong."

ment to subsidise steamer lines to Australia and (Buffs), Surgeon W. A. Parker (A.M.D.), Lieut, the Far East was to-day discussed in the Reichstag. After some speeches directed against the twenty-two 3s. &c. Plumbe was the only other E. C. M. Parry, and H. Blackburn (Buffs). The scheme, Prince Bismarck addressed the House scorer with 35 (not out) and Hare being absent, men were landed in the afternoon at the Naval in support of it. The doubts expressed in the the innings closed for 363, one of the best scores course of the debate as to whether the steamer lines would be financially profitable had, he said, will then convey home, the time expired and been previously used as arguments against every invalided men from the Garrison and Navy, new railway. The subvention proposed in the Hodder 2 for 42. present case was similar to that given to the St. Gothard Railway, which had opened new markets for German trade. One of the deputies had in a neat English-Gothic structure called 'The 6th instant from Korea. The Mercury says that referring to that railway spoken of military considerations. His assumption was quite erroneous, ever heard the building described as "neat," but, The following men-of-war were there :- British, for the Government had been guided solely by to 103, when the latter was bowled for 22 by one full power to inflict punishment for contempt of commercial considerations. The Chancellor Almanac maker objects to its being called a Russian, Craysser, but was expected to leave for next denounced the obstructionist policy of the Cathedral? In mentioning the Roman Catholic Vladivostock on the 4th; Japanese, Kongokan, opponents of the Bill, and said, if continued, the lowed and two hits off the same bowling serious. Church he throws no doubt on its right to rank Nissinkan, Hi-yeikan, and four transports; question would arise whether such tactics were ly endangered the spectators in the pavilion. have already referred—the breakage of a gasitself as a Cathedral, and yet it is only so by Chinese, at Massampo, a turret-ship and two for the good of the country. In any case, the Hodder with 38 and Pike with 14 carried their pipe in a Chinese house on Christmas Day, courtesy, while we have a state church. Among corvettes. Mr. Aston, Consul General for Great electors would not long be in doubt with whom other new information which this "concise Britain, and Mr. L. de Foote, U.S. Minister, the blame for the difficulties in which the coundescription" contains is a statement which our were still at Chemulpo. 1.000 Japanese troops try found itself rested. Ultimately the Reichearth entting or levelling to be done, and we readers will be glad to see, namely, that the marsh were in a camp near Chemulpo, about 500 stag decided to refer the Bill to a committee of would have been a win to The World in one inthe colony must not omit to note that the climate missioner to Japan, about half-way between As a comment on a portion of Lord North-

Korea at an early date, and would take mails. existence as a great and free people.

The Marquis Tseng, Chinese Minister in Lordon, accompanied by his secretary, Dr. Macartney, paid another visit to the Foreign Office on the 3rd December, and was there for over two hours. It is understood that his visit was in connection with the negotiations now proceed-

An exhibition of a distinctly novel character will shortly be opened at Kensington which, from an ethnographical point of view, will doubtless interest the public. The show will consist of a Japanese village, which is being erected in Humphreys Hall and on the surrounding ground. The buildings cover an acre, and comprise five streets of shops, each of which will be set apart for the manufacture and sale of different articles. The shops will be tenanted by Japanese men and women, who will ply their various handicrafts for the first time in this country. Among others, shops will be set apart for the following processes of manufacture :Embroidery, fan making, lacquer work, lamp making, nubrelia making, shoemaking, bamboo carving screen making, hairpin making, bronze ornamentation, percelain and china manufactur-ing, for which special Satsuma clay, is being brought over from Japan; silk weaving, and tea preparation. There will, besides, boahairdresser's shop, where English ladies can have their hair dressed in Japanese fashion, which will possibly be the mode during the next months; a photo- for which the remitter should allow. All such graphic shop, where Londoners can be photo-Torders must be expressed in British currency. sion; a tea house, and a restaurant. There will orders on Shanghat, and vice versi. be altogether about 200 Japanese men, women. and children in the village, 35 of whom arrived | cording to the currency the order is drawn in.) last week in the Brindisi, the rest being on their | Un to £ 2, or \$10, or 20 Rupees ...... next ten days. The names of some of the shop. Up to £ 7, or \$35, or 70 Rupoes keepers are curious, among others being Murakami Isuvohi, Tomita Hastn, Tagawa Kisi, Idei Kamenosuke, Ito Onosuki, and Naosuki. The object of the exhibition, which will be opened before Christmas, is to provide funds for a Japanese mission to be undertaken by natives in Japan. hands of Mr. Buhicrosan, who is personally intending the erection of the shops. A Japanese band is also on the way, and will occasionally discourse music similar to that which enchanted or the Hongkong Postal Guide. the visitor to the Tea House of the Healtheries.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 9th January. THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN. A British force is marching upon Metammeh, near Shendy. Should there be a steamer there readiness, direct communications with General Gordon may be opened up immediately.

FRENCH VICTORY AT TONQUIN The Shanghai Moroury publishes the following telegram from an official source:-

- HANOL 5th January. On the 3rd January an engagement took place between the Chinese troops, numbering about with having been possessed of about 1,000 tools 6,000, and the French. After one hour and a of prepared opium without a valid certificate on half's fighting the Chinese were defeated. the 4th General de Negrier carried the entrenched camp at Mei-bop, and eight Chinese forts, with terraced batteries. War material in great quantity, tents, stores, flags, ammunition and arms, including two Krupp Batteries were left in the Presently they came out again without their hands of the French. The Chinese fled in Northern direction, leaving 600 killed on the field.

CHICKET.

IRELAND V. THE WORLD. This interesting match was played on Fride and Saturday last, and resulted in a victory Scoring has generally been very free in the Irish match, and last season two games were played

883. November 16th and 17th. H. G. Rice 96 for Ireland. G. R. Johnston 129

E. Druitt 77 and 21 and H. St. D. Jarrett

On the 3rd December, in the House of Com- and 74 were the chief scorers for The World his hand, and on being opened it was found to This year, scoring was all on one side, the pieces, which he could see were base coins Consul General protesting that the guns being Government of Hongkong, which was ordered to team of The World proving far too strong for enforce the Foreign Enlistment Act by the Co- Ireland, deprived as the latter were of E. J.

Ireland won the toss and want in, but Hodder was the only man to make a stand against the for only 34, of which he had made 44 (not out) in his usual careful style, Capt. Maturin 13, and Rice 13. -D'Aeth was most successful with the ball, with 2 wickets for 4 runs, followed by Plumbs with 3 for 28, and Druitt with 4 for 39. World's first wicket fell, by D'Aeth being well caught by Rice at forward cover, and Druitt

Capt. Pearson and D'Aeth made 30 before The batchet and struck his companion three heavy then joining Capt. Pearson, a capital stand was made, runs being obtained off every Irish. bowler, fast and slow being treated alike with how the injured man progressed. perfect indifference. The Irish score was soon passed and then the attained on the 3rd inst., when 112 were received

field began to get careless, and a few chances Capt. Pearson gave an easy skyer to the wicks keeper, and retired for a well hit score of 75, came in, and at once proceeded to score; runs had to retire, lbw. (3 for 245). "Jarrett raised the score to 301, and retired clean bowled by A Berlin telegram, dated let December, says: Hodder for 25, and then Druitt's end came at -" The Bill authorising the Imperial Govern- 316, by an easy catch to short leg, after a grand for a telephone call is, from very careful record innings of 147, composed of one 5, four 4s, and calculation, 3.94 or say four, minutes. made on the Hongkong Cricket Ground. Hendry secured 3 wickets for 75 runs; an

In Ireland's second innings G. S. Coxon made a good stand for 13 (8 for 34), and Maturinquick ly put on 20 (4 for 60), but the best stand was made by Hodder and Lyne, who raised the score

The Buffs' Band played during the afternoon articles he seems to have sold the gas-fittings, by kind permission of Colonel Graves and the together with the piping, which of course beofficers of the regiment. Appended is the score :--

SECOND INNINGS. FIXAT INVINGA O. C. Hendry, b Plambo O b Plambo
G. Rice, D.A.C.G., ran cat IN b Bard
C. Hodder, R.N., not cut
Watson-Pike, A.M.D., b Druitt 0 not cut G Stopford, R.N. o Plumbe, b Fogarty, A.M.D., c Poerson,

P. Lloyd, Buffs, & D'Aeth

THE WORLD. F. B C. Hare, D.A.O.G., absent 

### MONEY ORDERS.

The following revised regulations as to money rders, which have been approved by His Excellency the Governor in Councils are published in the Gazette. Money order relations are extended for the first time to the countries marked .-1.-Money orders can be obtained at Hong-

kong and Shanghai on the following countries. \* Madoira. Azores Is. \* Belgium. \* Bermuda. · Mauritius. · Natal. \* Newfoundland · Canada. New South Wales. Cape Colony. Ceylon.

† (Constantinople). \* Norway. Port Darwin. \* Cyprus. Portugal, Queensland. Denmark. \* Egypt. \* Falkland Is, -8. Halann \* Seychelles. \* Sierm Leoné. Gambia. South Australia + (Hibraltar) Straits Settlemon Gold Coast \* Sweden. \* Switzerland · Holland. \* Honduras, (Br.) Tasmania. United Kingdom " United States. Victoria. Wostern Adstralia. West Indies (British 2.—Orders on the countries marked \* are for-

warded through the London Post Office, and are paid less a small discount of about 2d. in the £1 graphed in Japanese costume, 'lent for the ocea- | - 3.—The Hongkong Post Office also issues 4.—The commission charged is as follows (ac-

Up to £10, or \$50, or 1/10 Rupees 5 .- No order must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless

drawn on India, when 150 rapees is the limit): nor-will more than two such orders he issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, b.-Money orders on the United Kingdom for sums not exceeding to are grant aby means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice

7.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent, for cashing them; or money orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there are Agencies of the Hougkong Post Office. General Post Office, Hongkong, January 1st, 1885.

+ Small remittances can be made to these places by seams of Postal Notes. See separate notice or the

POLICE COURT. 10th January.

Before Mr. A. G. Wise.

ANOTHER LARGE SEIZURE OF OPIUM. Su Akai, hawker, and Lung Akam, servant, were charged by Acting P. S. Angus Mann

Mann was on duty on the Canton steamer Wharf on Friday afternoon, when he noticed the defendants leaving the wharf, the first carrying a hundle, and the second a basket. He went after the men, and as soon as they saw they were followed, they turned quickly into a hon-e, burdens, and Mann arrested them. He took them inside again, and there found the bundle and the basket, which turned out to contain between them about 1,000 tasks of prepared opium. The men then denied that the opium melanged to

The defendants adhered in court to the denial of having anything to do with the oplum, but they were convicted and fined \$500 each, in for default of paying which they were committed to The World by 269 runs on the first innings. | gool for three months hard labour. The opium was confiscated.

> Su Afat, ricepounder, was charged with having-been in possession of 54 counterfeit coins on

On Friday morning Inspector Quincey was in Queen's-road near the Star Hotel, when he observed the defendant approaching with a small packet in his hand. Almost as soon as he no-ticed the defendant, the latter saw him, and im-World by 25 mediately turned into a photographer's shop. Quincey ran in after him, believing there was something wrong, and took the pucket out of contain 48 ten-cent pieces and six twenty-cent The shroff at the Magistracy stated that they

were all copper washed with silver. The defendant said he was carrying these coins for a friend, but could neither give his mame nor point him out, and he was convict and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with

SHANGHAI

A day or two ago two Chinese carpenters were working together in a shop, when one of them accidentally tripped the other up. Enraged at this, the man who had been tripped lifted a heavy blows on the head, breaking the skull in and causing such injuries that he is not expected to live. His assailant has been pronounced to be slightly insune. He was brought up at the Mixed Court and remanded till it should be seen

The highest number of calls ever made in one

day at the Shanghai Telephone Exchange, was 1 between 8 a.m. and noon. 272 from noon till 6 p.m. and 22 from 6 to 8-or in all 406-but as during the busiest time the operators have no leisure to carefully record every call, the number may fairly be assumed to be 450. As this does not include calls of police, time-ball or private wires, which are estimated at about 25 daily, the total may be taken at 475 calls; or, in other words, that 950 persons used the Exchange on that day. Had these communications been made in the usual manner by chit, and allowing 1 of an hour as a fair average for a good will be seen that 2374 hours would have been required to do the business, the greater part of which was performed between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. 'The average length of time bers of 9 minutes on each chit or 950 by 9=8,550 minutes or 1424 hours for the one day The quarter of an hour estimated for the chit coolie is doubtless very low, but even at that rate it shews the facility, expedition, and economy by which the community are benefited by the Ex change, and speaks loudly in favour of its now undoubted efficiency.

There is not a very strong odour of dignity about the Mixed Court; but it does not pay to treat even this parody on a tribunal of justice with too open disrespect, as the magistrate has of Captain Pearson's insinuating lobs. Pike fol. Court. This fact was forcibly illustrated in the case of a Chinamun of respectable position. The case arose out of a circumstance to which we bats at run fire, the score-being 134 for 6 whereby a leakage-was-caused-which, before-diswickets, and there is little doubt the final result covery, resulted in a less of gas to the value of

by a Chinese auctioneer, and among the other longs to the Gas Company. The purchaser, in removing his property, apparently took away as much of the pipe as he could, leaving the broken part unstopped, with the result already mentioned. On the 5th instant the auctioneer and the purchaser of the fixings were proceeded against by Mr. Regerson at the Mixed Court, and after a lengthy hearing were ordered to pay \$10 each as compensation to the Gas Company. The anctioneer inveighed against the sentence with much heat for some time, and then palled a roll of dollars from his pockets and banged them down three or four at a time on the table nearly under his Worship's nose. Mr. Huang's face grew purple at this insult. He lifted a heavy wooden implement from the table, and singed a blow with it at the audacious auctioneer's fingers which would have made them smart for many a long day if it had only hit them. Failing in this mode of punishment, however, his Worship

directed the runners to vindicate the majesty of the law in a more regular way. Forcing the luckless anctioneer upon his knees, and holding his head in position, they administered a couple of dozen blows on his mouth and cheek, with a thong of leather, which caused him to sing in a much less defiant tone than before his punish.

A remarkable case arising out of the recognis-

was sitting as Assessor, asked Inspector Howard, Prussian. who was conducting the case for the police. The gunboats are to have all the Martini whether he believed that the reputed husbandwas | Henry rifles withdrawn and only the Mausor privy to the sale of his wife. Inspector Howard gans will be used. At Taku, all the Armstrong The Messageries Maritimes steamers Djemnah, and really believed that she was simply efficiency than the new Krupp, the Chinese will subjoined telegrams are taken from Ceylon and share, or div.

The question not, after all, get the best arm. The change Indian papers:—

Was then reject as to what the maker and as to what the property of the papers of the papers of the papers.

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Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares. was then raised as to whether the reputed should be gradual, and to mark a thorough legally married to her; but it was ruled that as | Correspondent. they had a child he had no right to sell her. The husband was accordingly arrested on suspicion and placed with the other prisoners, who were remanded for the attendance of the woman's purchaser, who was the real loser by the whole transaction, having paid away a hundred dollars and got no return for it. As there was no doubt, however, that the Shanghai tipae has acted ille- necessity. gally in keeping the woman looked up in his house for thirteen days, he was ordered to receive is not his first offence, Mr. Huang intends to ap-

## TIENTSIN. 20th December.

office.—N. C. Daily News.

ching's friends fear he will not be as successful Saturday. as was Wn Chang-ching, who so ably succeeded in bringing Da Yin Kung from there to here; for Wu Ta-ching's friends say that H.E. has neither the experience or the tact of Wu Chang-ching; besides it will not be so easy to satisfy Japan's claims now as it was then; for the mob avenged themselves on the Japanese only. The Japanese, killed at Scoul are: 33 residents, three of the the Japanese only as their victims?

with Mr. Peldram. German Consul; only Captain and workshops should flow, and under conditions ferin, but the popular manifestations differed in Fournier and Mr. Detring could not go, on account of handing this memorandum to H.E. Li. with foreign competition. Ma Kien-chong and Lo Fong-loh, having public- Four paths of policy seem to point to this end. were no non-officials present, and very few nuly declared in the Daily News on the 24th ult. First-A series of reciprocal commercial treaties | tives. Lord Ripon, accompanied by Lord and that they saw Captain Fournier erase, and put with the countries of America which shall foster Lady Dufferin and staff, came out of Governhis signature to it; therefore it is very natural between us and them an unhampered movement ment House. Lord Ripon shook hands with a that Mr. Detring must also have seen it, and if of trade. The conditions of these should be the large number of those present. Lady Ripon not erased, then, as a friend of Captain Four- free admission of such merghandise as this coun- bowed her farewell. The decorations put up by nier, he certainly should have come forward and try does not produce in return for the admission the shops for Saturday were, with two excepsupported Captain Fournier. This not having free, or under a favoured scheme of duties, of our tions, allowed to remain in position. The crowd taken place, our Chinese and foreign friends products, the benefits of such exchanged to apply in the street was noticeably small. The balhave discussed it very much here; and they even on those goods carried under the flag of the par- cony of the Great Eastern Hotel contained a go so far as to say that the statement of 24th ties to the contract, and the removal on both number of ladies and gentlemen. Many nit. in your morning contemporary would have sides from the vessels so privileged of all tonnage faces were also seen at the windows and had more force on behalf of China if it had been dues and national imports, so that their vessels balconies of shops, and several groups of signed by Mr. Detring; such not being the may ply unhindered between our ports and those Europeans were in the streets, but except Wisdicase, they consider it only of the value of the of the other contructing parties, though without by their presence the Europeans did not westerk.

to Shanghai wither he leaves overland in a sedan ported products of those countries coming within There was a large concourse of natives on the chair, travelling in the name and style of H. E. the benefits of the treaties, and the avoidance of Strand-road, and at the approaches to the station, Tso. This is on account of his grand, reception the technical restrictions and penalties by which although on the platform itself not half the at Peking by Her Majesty, and the important our intercourse with those countries is at present number of native gentry were present who atmission on which he is sent by Li Hung-chang. hampered. Secondly-The establishment of the tended Lord Ripon's arrival at Calcutta the tions from Peking, by no means to send Ma ried footing, permitting the relinquishment of Ripon shook hands in the first instance with all Kien-chong to Korea.

those 32 general officers killed by the French in the treaty nations carrying goods entitled to the other end of the platform, and shook hands with Tonquin, Her Majesty is pleased to grant benefits of the treaties. Thirdly—The enact- most of them. Having been laden with garlands posthumous honours to the fallen. If 32 are rement of measures to favour the construction and and flowers, his Lordship returned, and entered what number of officers and soldiers? 100,000? establishment of a uniform currency basis for the taken up by all present killing a single French General; our Chinese of our mines may circulate on equal terms loud cheers from the Europeans present greeted

retreat to the Pagoda Anchorage Hill. for the future in Shanghai. This is attributed will ere long embrace all, or nearly all, the to their Excellencies and Prince Ch'un's fears counties of this hemisphere. to face the pens of the Censors. Then and then It is by no means desirable, however, that the 

or field guns are to be permitted. It is true that currency fixed on a firm basis, and above all, On Calcutta.—Bank, 3 days' sight ... 2204 uniformity of system is necessary to perfectness. such an unity of interests established among the ON SHANGHAL. but if war occurs in the Spring, the soldiery who States of the American system as will be of only know the English drill will not have master- great and ever-increasing advantage to them all.

ed trade in buying and selling women among ed the German drill, and the confusion that the Chinese came before the Mixed Court on the | would coour would be fatal to any sort of stan-5th instant. It seems that about three months dard of efficiency. The reforms are too-drastic, ngo an old man who is well known to the police and the Chinese of course do not know as earning his living by this traffic, went to a that the results of the Prussian formations for woman and asked her if she would like to carn attack and defence can only be attained by the some money by coolie work. The woman had number and efficiency of drill instructors, serbeen living for years with a Chinaman as his goants, and non-commissioned officers. And, so far, wife, though she was not legally married to him, not even the nuclei of such services exist in and they had a child; but her reputed husband China. In the German army, an army whose was away from home, and she expressed her mechanical perfection is astounding, the intelwillingness to go out and earn money in the ligence of the private though trained is theroughway suggested to her. The old man then told ly subordinated to superior direction, and the her that he had a situation for her out in officer is more made into a directing centre-than the country, and she accordingly went to in any other service. With a nation trained to a village, to the house of an old man of arms and military movement from the age of sixty years. For two months, according to seven, withis sufficing number of sub-officers, and her account, she remained there doing the a high trained military casts, the iron rule of work of a servant; but at the end of this the Prussian system, as founded by the Great time her aged employer wished to establish Frederick, continued by Clausewitz, and commerce intimate relations with her. She repelled pleted by von Roon and Moltke, is possible; but him, saying that she was a married woman and as the new comers from Germany have to deal had simply come to earn money by coolie work, with raw material, without officers, and in the but he replied that he had paid a hundred absence of all military ideas, the imposition of dollars for her and she was his proprety. The the strict German system, to my mind, shows woman then took the earliest opportunity to run | utter lack of adaptive power. That the battalaway back to the Settlement, changing her lions of Chihli will ever rival the regiments of house there in order that she might not be traced. Brandenburg would be an absurd expectation; However, the tipac of the village, who appears but as the Chinese physique is fine, the men doto have had a finger in the sale of the woman, followed her to Shanghai and at length discovered her whereabouts: He seized her, took promise would be wise. Strict drill, strict overher to the tipao of the district, and sold off every, sight in skirmishing order, attack, and defence, thing in her house, realizing about \$14. Here, will be the means of muddling the men's brains; in the tipno's house, she remained looked up for and if ever Britain and China should come to thirteen days till the matter came to the know- blows the Sikhs, Beluchis, Bhils, and Soukhas, ledge of the police, and she was released. On the trained to arms and action by British officers, 5th the Shanghai tipso, the village tipso and the will outmarch, outflank, and go through the unnon who had sold the woman were all brought intelligent coolies who with their officers have up at the Mixed Court and charged with their been crammed to indigestion with the military respective shares in the transaction, the woman lore of Berlin. Nature will have its way, and appearing to prosecute accompanied by her re- you cannot endow, for some operations at least, puted husband and their child. Mr. Giles, who a Chinese peasant with the military aptness of a

said he was inclined to think that the husband guns (mostly of old pattern and of high tra: from Marseilles December 7th, via usual ports did know of it, and received part of the proceeds jectory) have been condemned, and are to be re- of call, with the London mail of the 5th ultimo, On Tai. Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 of his wife's sale; but he believed the woman placed by Krupp's. But as the new Armstrong, arrived here early yesterday morning. The husband had not a perfect right in Chinese change at once is to render the men, for one or law, to sell the woman, seeing that he was not two years, utterly inefficient .- N. C. Daily News

# FRANCE AND CHINA.

Paris 30th November. The Government have just chartered three new vessels to be employed as transports for the conveyance of troops to Tonquin in case of

Paris, 4th December. A despatch, dated the 2nd inst., received by a hundred blows "to begin with," and as this. the Government from General Brière de l'Isle, announces that in one of the villages of the yesterday; an infernal machine was found Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-3120 per ply to the Tao-tai to have him removed from his Lochnan district a proclamation has been found, amongst the dibris with a fuse attached. Inof the provinces of Kwangting and Kwangsi, the box in which it was concemunicating an Imperial decree urging the the surroundings to take fire. people to poison the French.

In the Senate to-day Admiral Jauréguiberry Wu Ta ching arrived here from Shang Hai brought up the report of the Tonquin Committee, Kwan; and paid a visit yesterday to the Japanese | the members of which unanimously recommended Consul here as High Commissioner of Korea, the adoption of the credits, the complete occupawhither he is to go in a day or so. Lo Feng tion of Tonquin, and the enforcement of the Copenhagen; has been appointed Minister at Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited Loh is to accompany him as interpreter; and Tientsin Treaty. The Committee regretted the Brussels.

Heeng Tantai is spoken of as Assistant High delay that had occurred in taking energetic GE Commissioner. We wish Wu Ta-ching success; measures whereby the difficulties to be overcome for even at Peking they begin to think that the had multiplied, but added that the Premier had Korean and Japanese question will eclipse the given them satisfactory assurances on the sub- on Caisse of Public Debt, states it will be pleased Franco Chinese question for China. Wu Ta- ject. The discussion of the report was fixed for to adhere to the demand as soon as all the

> PRESIDENT ARTHUR ON PROTEC-TION AND FREE TRADE.

The following is an extract from President Arthur's message to Congress :--

In the course of this communication reference Japanese forces, who sided the Japanese has more than once been made to the policy of Minister and the members of the Japanese the Government as regards the extension of our were fit for any trial of strength. Legation to fight their way through to Shun-foreign trade. It seems proper to declare the Although the work on the boats is very hard, pooh, when the Legation was fired; but not a general principles that should, in my opinion, it is borne cheerfully: all thoughts being bent single foreigner, of those at Scoul, has been mo- underlie our national efforts in this direction. on the relief of Khartoum and Gordon. lested. The friends of China say that the Japa- The main conditions of the problem may be thus ness have maltreated the Koreans, therefore this stated: We are a people in mechanical pursuits result. But if our Japanese friends who are in and fertile invention. We cover a vest extent China about whose behaviour, even the most of territory, rich in agricultural products and in anti-foreign Chinese have nothing to say—if the | nearly all the raw material necessary for useful Japanesa k ow how to behave in Chine, no manufacture. We have a system of productive doubt they also know how to do so in Korea. A establishments more than sufficient to supply The Afghan Commission is now encamped at plea of some kind no doubt must be found, but our demands. The wages of labour are no where Moimineh. The British Commission saw a numthor real source after all is jealousy, no doubt else so great. The scale of living of our artisan ber of Russian Cossacks at Pand Jeh on the fired by our Chinese friends at Korea against classes is such as tends to secure their personal Marghabriver. the Japanese only. If this revolt of the Korean comfort and the development of those higher THE COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN APPOINTED.C. I. anti-foreign party is the reason, then why select | morals and intellectual qualities that go to the making of good citizons. Our system of tax Ma Kien-chong returned from Peking, where tariff legislation is yielding a revenue which is a member of the Order of the Crown of India. Li Hung-chang and friends saw him through; in excess of the present needs of the Government. and it is said he and his friends succeeded in These are elements from which it is sought to laying all the blume on Tong King-sing. Ma devise a scheme by which, without unfavourably Kien-chong is staying with Mr. Detring, and changing the condition of the workingman, our 3,000 Chinese troops who attacked a village near occupies the same room, it is said, which Captain | merchant marine shall be raised from its enfection were repulsed with heavy loss; the French Fournier occupied four years ago when sick, bled condition and a market provided for the loss being trifling. during the winter lure, at which time both Mr. sale beyond our borders of the manifold fruits of and Mrs. Dotring so kindly administered to the our industrial enterprises. The problem is comcomforts of Captain Fournier, out of which the plan and can be solved by no single measure of present friendship sprung up between those two of innovation or reform. The countries of the gentlemen, which no doubt must cool again, be- American continent and the adjacent islands are appointment of Lord Reay, as Governor of Bomouse Mr. Detring was present with Ma and Lo for the United States the natural market of bay, is cordially approved in London. at Li Hung-chang's when Captain Fournier supply and demand. It is from them that we handed in that now so famous Memorandum ; that should obtain what we do not produce, or we do India says that Lord Ripon left at nine yesternight Admiral Lespes, Mr. Francia, Acting not produce in sufficiency, and it is to them that day morning for Bombay. The official ceremony French Consul, and all the Consuls were at-dinner the surplus productions of our fields, our mills was similar to that on the arrival of Lord Duf-

not to pay the indemnity. The French cannot ducing countries and the circulation of those into Government House. roise the needful, and therefore will not be able to carry on the war any longer.

From Peking it is reported that Sir Harry and commercial need of each. As many of the lue Payable Parcels Postal system will shortly and commercial need of each. Parkes gave a good hit to the members of the countries furnish no bullion to the common be minuted on by the Director General from an Tsung-le Yamen. They could not understand stock, the surplus production of our mines and why the Foreign Ministers at Peking went for mints might thus be utilized, and a step taken against the system will be stated. a retreat either to Chefoo or the Hills. The toward the general remonetization of silver. Chinese, they said, never did so. Sir Harry To the accomplishment of these ends, so far as Parkes drew their attention to Chang Pei lun's they can be attained by separate treaties, the negotiations already concluded and now in pro-Prince Chun and the members of the Tsung- gress have been directed, and the favour with le Yamen are awaiting for Tseng Kwo-chuan which this enlarged policy has thus far been reand Li Hung-chang's reply in regard to railways ceived warrants the belief that its operations

so busy now with the Japan and Korean question ment of our trade with Europe, Asia, and Africa Patna (Old) that railroads have to be shelved seement.

Mr. Detring only a few days ag that dens on such of their wares as neither we nor he will lay the first railroad in Chine; their Extra the other American States are fitted to produce.

EXCHANGI cellencies at Peking are in favour of the railroad and thus enabling ourselves to obtain in return On London.from Weesung to Shanghai, which therefore will a better market for our supplies of food, of raw likely be the first; but it is not known here that material and of the manufactures in which we Mr. Detring is the applicant for this and only excel. It seems to me that many of the embarfrom this to Peking .- Mercury Correspondent. | rassing elements in the great national conflict 24th December. | between protection and free trade may thus be | The German officers now here are making turned to good account; that the revenue may drastic reforms. The whole force of Li and of be reduced so as to no longer overtax the pro- ON PARIS. the High Commissioner Haiang Ching are to be party, that the protective duties may be retained drilled on the German system, all rifles but the without becoming burdensome; that our ship-Mauser are to be discarded, and no horse artillery ping interests may be judiciously arranged, the On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight ... 2201.

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SHANGHAI MANILA VIA AMOY SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.	Diamante (str.)	Stack	Hongkong Hongkong	Bussell & Co Douglas Lapraik & Co	To-morrow, at 5 P.M. To-morrow, Daylight.
SWATOW	Namshan (str.)	J. Blackburne	Hongkong	Hop Hing Hong	To-day, at Noon.
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All the treaties in the line of this policy which has been negotiated, or are in process of negotia- Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-122 tion, contain a provision deemed to be requisiteunder the clause of the Constitution limiting to the House of Ropresentatives the authority to originate laws raising the revenue.

# THE FRENCH MAIL.

THE DYNAMITERS AT WORK AGAIN. London, 18th December. A close inspection of the effects of the explesion under the London Bridge has revealed the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's existence of 13 cracks on the abutment of the Bridge, confirming the suspicion that the ex. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s plosion was caused by dynamite.

LONDON, 19th December. The Court of Common Council has voted a implicated in the explosion under London Bridge. continent were seized at Dover.

LONDON, 22nd December. A fire took place at the parcels office, Windsor. which had been printed by order of the Viceroy stead of exploding, the machine had set fire to China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-103 the box in which it was contained and caused BRITISH MINISTERS AT MADRID AND DRUSSELS.

LONDON, 17th December. Mr. Clare Ford, the British Minister at Athens, has been appointed Minister at Madrid, and the Hon. H. C. Vivian, British Minister at GERMANY, RUSSIA: AND EGYPT.

The Egyptian Government, in raply to the claims of Germany and Russia to be represented Signatories, of the Law of Liquidation have Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Liagreed thoroupon.

THE CANADIAN ROATS ON THE NILE. LONDON, 18th December. A dispatch has been received from Lord Wolseley, stating that the boats fulfilled all ex-

The health of the troops is good and the men

ENGLAND AND WEST AFRICA. LONDON, 19th December. A treaty has been concluded between England and the International African Association. THE AFGHAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION. TEHERAN, 16th December.

LONDON, 16th December. The Countess of Dufforin has been appointed CHINESE REPULSE IN TONQUIN.

Paris, 17th December. An official desputch has been received that

#### INDIAN NEWS. BOMBAY, 16th December. The Times of India hears by telegram that the

The Calcutta correspondent of the Times of infringing on the reserved home coasting trade; evince any further interest in Lord Ripon's de-Ma Kien-chong has been ordered by H.E. Li the removal or reduction of burdens on the ex. parture. The natives were similarly silent. Li Hung-chang has received special instruc- Consular Service of the United States on a sala- other day. On reaching the platform, Lord Consular fees not only as respects vessals under the European officials present, and then pro-In consequence of Tseng Yu Ying's report of the National Flag, but also as respects vessels of ceeded towards a group of native gentry, at the ported, no doubt there must be more; therefore maintenance of a steam carrying marine under a saloon carriage. As the train moved off Lord if there are such a number of Generals killed, the flag of the United States. Fourthly-The Dufferin gave the lead with a cheer, which was It is strange that they have not succeeded in countries of America, so that the coined products On the return of Lord and Lady Dufferin,

friends attribute this to the French not being throughout the whole system of commonwealths.

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Marquess Tseng has telegraphed from London rica, whereby the output of the bullion-pro
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impartial stand-point. All arguments for and Victoria has accepted the proposals of India for an Intercolonial Postal Parcel Service.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENUE. SATURDAY, 10th January.

OFIUM. Quotations are:-Malwa (New)...\$540 per picul, allco. of 2 catties. Malwa (2 years Old)... \$550 h per ckest.

EXCHANGE. Bank Bills, on demand. Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ..... 3/61 Bank Bills, at 1 months sight ..... 3/71 Credits, at 4 months' sight......3/71 Documentary Bills, at 4 mouths' Bank Bills, on demand ......4.50 Credits, at 4 months sight .......4.56

Bank, sight......721

Private, 30 days' sight .......73

per cent. premium. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$460 per share, ex div. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-S64 per share.

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FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

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above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, 9th December 1884.

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Hongkong, 2nd December, 1884.

HE 100 A. I. British Ship

Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1885.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for New York).

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

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A. McIVER.

Superintendent.

HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

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THE Company's Steamship

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Hongkong, 5th January, 1885.

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Hongkong, 15th December, 1884.

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North China Insurance—The 285 per share. Yangtsze Insurance Association Tls. 135 per Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-3175 per share, ex div.

per share. \$362½ per share. Sellers. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$67

Shares-53 per cent. prem. Buyers. Shares—\$334 per share premium. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-30 per cent. discount. reward of £5,000 for the apprehension of those China and Manils Steamship Company, Limited -30 per cent. discount.

Two hundredweight of dynamite from the Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-Par, nominal. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-890 per per share.

China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—366 per share, Sellers. Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$1421 per -\$110 per share. Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company -330 per share.

Selangor Tin Mining Company-313 per share. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 35 per. mited-350 per share. Germany and Russia are dissatisfied with this Chinese Imperial Losa of 1831-1 per cent. dis

# HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE.

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7.—Harr in inches, tenths and hundredths.

W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 11th January, 1885.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"ZAMBESI," will leave for the above place TO-DAY, the 12th inst., at THREE P.M. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1885.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW THE Company's Steamship

LOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

"THALES." Capt. Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th instant, at DAYLIGHT:

Contanche, Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., For Freight, apply to General Managers. Hongkong, 16th December, 1884. Hongkong, 9th January, 1885.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND -BLACK SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

LONDON AND ANTWERP, BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, AND DUNKIRK.

CARGO, will leave this Port for the above (Postal Guide, par. 159).

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, disappointment in the matter, it will appear Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 12th day from the Daily Press Office. January, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are will be found in the Daily Press Directory.

pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, let January, 1885.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIP COMPANY. | below.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-Captain Ellis, will be despatched for the above Perts on WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant,

TOKIO," will be despatched for San 14th January, at 3.30 P.M. Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on SATURDAY, the 17th January, at THREE F.M.,

taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports Periam, Commander, will be despatched for th in Mexico, Central and South America, by the

Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RETURN PASSAGES.-Passangers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for Ching or Japan (or vice versa) within six months; will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, au allowance of 10 %, will be made from Return Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, avail-

able for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fore. These allowances do not apply to through farse from China and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 r.m. on the 16th Jan., Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. -

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Cellector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,

No. 50A, Queen's Road Central-F. E. FOSTER, Agent. Hongkong, 12th January, 1884.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA,

GIBRALTAR BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM BURG. NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. FITHE PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAYIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "PESHAWUR," Captain J. C. Babot, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from 7 A.M., Pest Office opens. this for LONDON via BOMBAY AND SUEZ 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of CANAL on TUESDAY, the 20th January, at Four P.M. Cargo will be received on board until TEN 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee above Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th inst., A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until

Ten A.M., on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo: Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay with out transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route vin Colombo. 

Office. Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are re- Newspapers & Prices Current, each quired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note Captain A. B. Mactavish, will be despatched for the terms and conditions of the Company's the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th | Black Bills of Lading. N.B.—This steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles. A. MoIVER,

Superintendent. Hongkong 8th January, 1885. STEAM COMMUNICATION TO. WESTERN AUSTRALIA

FITHE WEST AUSTRALIAN STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY'S Steamer

Captain Sommers, will be despatched as above "NATAL" Wood, Commander, under engagement with For Freight or Passage, apply to the Straits and Western Australian Govern-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. ments, is expected to leave Singapore for Fre-Hongkong, 3rd January, 1885. mantle, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cos-

sack, Sharks Bay and Geraldton, as notified below:-PROPOSED TIME TABLE. NORTHWALD SERVICE. Leaving Fremantle calling at Geraldton, Sharks Bay, Cossack, Roebick Bay, and Batavia,

18th 2nd 13th 18th 28th 11th 2nd March May June July Aug. Oct. Dec. Arriving at Singapore, 4th 19th 29th 4th 14th 28th 19th April May June Aug. Sep. Oct. Dec. SOUTHWARD-SERVICE. Leaving Singapore, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossock, Shares Bay and Geraldton, 12th 24th 1st 10th 20th 5th 21st April May July Aug. Sep. Nov. Dec. Arriving at Fremautle.

30th 11th 16th 25th 8th - 30th 8th April June July Aug. Oct. Nov. Jan. The "NATAL" has a remarkably fine Saloon, and also excellent accommodation for Second and Third Class Passengers. For Freight and Passage to the above and other Australian Ports, apply to McALISTER & Co.,

Singapore, 5th February 1884. WINTER TIME TABLE.

THE KOWLOON FERRY. STRAM-LAUNCH

"MORNING STAE" Runs Daily as a Ferry Boat between PEDDAR'S WHARF and TSIM-TSA-TSUI at the following hours:-This Time Table will take effect from the 1st November, 1884. WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS. Leaves Leaves Leaves

Kowloon Hongkong Kowloon 8.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M. G.00 A.M. Erichson. Master, will load here for the above 8.00 .,, 10.15 8.50 10.15 9.40 12.30 ,, 10.45 13.30 r.m. 1.80 12.45 P.M. 1.00 P.M. 3.00 ,, 3.00 4.00 2.30 1.80 2.20 3.20 3.00 -3.20 4.20 4.50 5.25 6.05 4.50 ··· 6,10 0.30

given of any stoppages.

-MAIL EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. and O. steamer San Pablo, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 19th December, and may be expected here on or about the 19th inst.

STEAMER EXPECTED. The steamer Nagato Maru, left Singapore of the 6th, and may be expected to arrive here on er about the 13th inst.

## POST-OFFICE \_NOTICES.

Attention is invited to the following par ticulars on the subject of Local Delivery :-LOCAL DELIVERY .- No delivery is attempted N TUESDAY, the 13th day of January, on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, ship "YANGTSE," Commandant Lormier, named in the address) when there is a place of with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and business nearer, at which delivery can be effected

The above Regulation is not new, but has. Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon- been the invariable rule of the Post Office for don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in many years. Considerable efforts have been transit through Marseilles for the principal made to secure its being generally understood. To prevent, Rowever, if possible, any further permently on the Mail Lists issued twice every

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to data, p. 385 large edition, p. 633 small edition. This For further particulars, apply at the Com- is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

> The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow, Amoy, & Foochow.-Per Thales, LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT to-day, the 12th inst., at 5.00 P.M. YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. For Port Darwin, Thursday, Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melboume, HE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF Adelaide, &c. Per Airlie, on Wednesday, the

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET The French Contract Packet Yangies, will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 13th January, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vil Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasiau Colonies, Aden, Malta, and Cape, Egypt, Mal-

to, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Peshawur will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th January, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Cayion. India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c The Post Office declines all responsibility for

Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-Day of Departure.
Noon.—Money Order Office closes 2.00 r.m.-Registry of Letters ceases. Post-

ing of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M .- Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M. - When the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M.-Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. THE PREMIUM MAIL. Day before Departure.

5 r.m., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure. all printed matter and patterns ceases.

of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 1140 A.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until fine of departure.

11 A.M., Mail cleses, except for Late Letters.

RATES OF POSTAGE. and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & Post Cards, each 3 Cents ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Books, Patterns, and Commercial 2 Cents. Papers, per 2 oz. 2 Cents 10 Cents Registration ..... Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as

though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 os. weight are charged 5 cents.

# INSURANCES

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIHE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January 1882.

CUN FIRE OFFICE.

The Undersigned are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Reduced Taxiff Rates to the extent of \$50,000 on First-class, Risks.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS, Agents, Sun Fire Office. Hongkeng, 12th May, 1881.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEETS. Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the

OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-ALDER BESSE, Am. bk. J. A. O'Brien .- Mel Arreie, Brit. str., Ellis .- Russell & Co.

AUGUSTE, Brit. sch., P. Thomson,-Captain. A. APCAR Brit, str., A. B. Maotavish.-D. S. Sons & Co. CHANNEL QUEEN, Brit. bk., W. La Lacheur.-Ed. Schellhass & Co. COMMODORE, Am. ship, Blanchard.—Order. CRUSADER, Brit. str., Rowin .- Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

DORIS, Ger. str., W. Zerrahn.—Siemssen & Co. EMILY, Brit. bark, W. Crichton.-Captain. ELIZA NICHOLSON, Brit. bk., S. Grierson.-ELLER, Brit. bk., W. Anthony.—Order. GRECIAN, Am. ship, A. H. Dunber.—Order.

HELICON. Am. ship J. B. Howes.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. IMPERIAL, Am. ship, J. E. Crosby.—Captain. LOONG WHA, Brit. bk., Lord.—Chinese. MOUNT LEBANON, Brit. bk., H. Nelson.-Aruhold, Karberg & Co.
MARIE, Ger. bk., H. Ipland.—Wieler & Co.

PROPORTIS, Brit. str., G. Hessley .- A. Karborg & Co. Rosslyn, Brit. str., M. C. Kechnie.—Adamson Sooloo, Brit. bk., Haikie. Borneo Co, Limited. SPINAWAY, Brit. 3/2, ach., J. Garrick.—Siemssen

TITAMEA, Brit. ship., W. M. Townsend .- Mel-The above Time Table will be strictly adhered chers & Co. to except under unavoidable circumstances. In Willie, Brit, S/m. sch., O. Alin.-Meyer & Co. case of stress of wheather due notice will be WELCOMBE, Brit. str., W. R. Corfield. - B. &

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NTEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE	10 224	FOR SALE.	As Reported by C	HINERE ON	ras 10ra Jan		s, 8 lbs., per pair	3,440,00 M 340,00 M	ampuor, ketuas.	OOL DICTION OF STATE	to 13.50 Peas, Whi to 3.800 Peas, Gree	en, per picul	\$1.15 to 4.25 \$5.25 to 2.30 \$1.93 to 2.10 \$2.66 to 2.18
LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY	With Possession From 1st February next.	A GOOD SECOND HAND	CC American Drills, 30	OTTON do		Camlete, Camlete, 5 to 3.10 Camlete.	SSS, per piece	\$13,50 to 14,00   6 \$13,50 to 14,00   6 \$14,50 to 15,00   6	ardamons, Inferio loves, por picul louis, Affont, pay t	or, per picul	to 28.00 Pear, Gree 0 to 36.50 Pearl Bar Potatos F	ow, per picul	92.13 to 2.20
Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policy helders and apportionments are made annually.  STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING	Kowleen. Apply to	CHRONOMETER, Apply on Board, BRITISH SHIP "TITANIA,"	American Drills, 1 Cotton Yarn, No. 16 Cotton Yarn, No. 28	151bs., per 1024, per 4 1032, per 4	piece \$3.90 00t bm. \$85.00 to 00t bm. \$96.50 to	to 3.95 Camiete, o 87.50 Camiete, o 57.50 Camiete.	BBB, por pieco	16,60 to 17,00 ( 10,60 to 17,00 ( 13,50 to 14,00 (	oals, English atos loals, Sydney, per loffee, per picul	rtsu	to 10.46 Rhinocero 0 to 24.50 Rhinocero	Horn, per picul	\$2,690 to 8,619
Accumulated Funds £11,879,944 Surplus over all liabilities	I. P. MADAR.	Hongkong, 10th January, 1885. [142]	Cotton Yarn, No. 38	to 42, per 4	00 lbs. \$108.50 t	o 109.00 Long Ell	is, MM Sqarlet, per piece	\$6.65 to 6.70 \$6.65 to 6.70 \$6,65 to 7.70	opper, Shoothing	Japan, perpioni\$20.	0 to 21.00 Rice, Sing	n, No. 1, perpicul	\$1.76 to 1.73 \$1.64 to 1.65
and Reserve Fund accord- ing to valuation made by £ 2,139,338		FOR SALE. A SMALL INVOICE OF	Dyed Spotted Shirti	inge per pl	leon \$0.60	0 to 2.83 Long Ell 5 to 3.70 Long Ell	is, H.I. Assorted, per piece	8.65 to 6.70 6.70 to 6.75	lotton Bombay. lotton Calcutto, lotton Ningno n	per picul	6 to 16.30 Rice, Saturday,	gon, No. 1, per picul	\$1.72 to 1.74
the Government	Possession 1st April, 1885.  THE BUNGALOW, on the ROBINSON	FURTIMAN HANBURY BUXTON & Co.'s	English Drills, 30 v. English Drills, 14 lk English Drills, 15 lk	pards, por p bs., per pie bs., per pie	100 \$2.5 100 \$2.4 100 \$2.8	5 to 2.50	Stripes, per yard		Jotton, Shantung, Jotton, Shantung, Jotton, Tientsin	perpicul	90 to 17.00 Saltmetre	perpical	55.25 to 5.05
Res. Manager, Department of the East. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co.,	Apply to	PER S. S. "CLAYMORE." Apply to	Grey Shirtings, 7	lbs., per p	iece \$1.5	5 to 1.63 fron, H		\$2.85 to 3.10 \$3.30 to 5.85	lotton, Tungchov Jotton Seeds, Sal Jotton Seeds, Siar Juttlefish, Japan.	1011	to 4.30 Segured,	Cnt, per picul	\$495.40, 5.19
[Agents, Hongkong.	Houghong, Stir January, 1885. [124]	LINSTEAD & DAVIS.  Hongkong, 9th January, 1885. [128]	Grey Shirtings, 10	lbs., por p	iece \$2.9	7 to 2.99 Lead; W	VB, por pioul	\$4.20 to 4.25 \$4.05 to 4.10	Juttlefish, Chauch	without bones, p. pl315 low, per plen!323	50 to 23.00 Sharkedt 50 to 10.50 Shollfish 00.to 27.50 Shollfish		\$85.00 to 60:00 \$27.00 to 88.00 \$11.50 to 12.99 \$5.00 to 6.50
THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS	TO BE LET.	FOR SALE.	GreyT-Cloths, 24 yd: GreyT-Cloths, 24 yd: GreyT-Cloths, 24 yd: GreyT-Cloths, 24 yd:	la. & 32 in. 7 i la 36 in 8 lbs.	lbs. p. ps. \$1.8. XOp. ps. \$1.8	5 to 1.70 Quickell 0 to 1.85 Quickell		\$55.00 to 55.20 \$55.00 to \$5.20	Dates, Black, per Dates, Bed, per pi Dried Lilv Flower	oulTie.2.	1.5 to 2.5.5 Straits B 0.5 to 7.75 Botal	roduce, do.	S417 to 4.2)
MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720.	BUNGALOW, AT THE PEAK, TENNIS.  LAWN Attached.  No. 27, ELGIN TERBAGE.	L TO THE ART LAND AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY O	GreyT-Cloths, 21yd	la 36iu 81ba.	XXp.pa, \$3.4	5 to 2.50 Steel, B	mar: nion!	\$4.15 to 4.25	Manage R Leater	7 to 8 pieces	00 to 220 Pepper	r, White, per picul	#18.80 to 19.50
Agents for the above Corporation, are	HOUSE & OFFICES No. 2, DUDDELL	Mas E. KOPP.	Trandentominia Dio	own bar de	PEGE STREET BOND	10 V.02	alaces, per jour	\$3.40 to 84.50 \$4.90 to 4.95	Flour, American, Flour, American, Fungus	por barrel of 100 lbs 13 por barrel of 200 lbs 18	20 to 3.50 Ratter 2 to 6.45 00 to 30.00 Sanda	i, Straits, per picul	\$775 to 1.70
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:  MARINE DEPARTMENT.  Policies at current rates, payable either here	Rentals.  -GODOWNS, at FLETCHER'S BUILDINGS.	HAMPAGNE.	Velvet Black, 32 in Velvet, Gentian, 22 Velveteers, Black	ches, per y	ard \$0.1 r yard \$0.2	8 to 0.19 1 to 0.22 1 to 0.22	PRODUCE.	and have a ma	Financ, America	n latana lika maliat a	50 to 0.63 Sanda	Wood, South Seas, per pina Wood, Manila, per picul Wood, Siam, per picul	\$17.49 to 17.5
in London, or at the principal Ports of India China, and Australia FIRE DEPARTMENT.	COVERED SHEDS for Couls or Timber.	"MONOPOLE SEC" (DRY).	White Shirtings, 5	reol.	регриесо 32.1	5 to 2.35   Bark: 0	lamphor, pag oldel	.\$17.50 to 18.50	Homp, Hankow.	n. 2nd quality, p. pical. & per pical	0 to 18.00 Sugar, S 0 to 31.00 Sugar, S	hek-lung, White, No. 1, p. pe hek-lung, White, No. 2, p. pe hok-lung, Brown, per picul	I \$7.50 to 8.05 L \$6.75 to 4.93
Policies issued for long or short periods a current rates.  LIFE DEPARTMENT.	Hongkong, 5th January, 1885. [101	CARLOWITZ & Co., Solo Agents; Heidsieck & Co., Reims.	I Walte Sairtings, 19	s to 80 reed, 3 to 80 reed, 90 reed, per	per piece \$2.8 piece \$3.4	15 to 2.65   Boche of 10 to 3.30   Bocs W 15 to 3.50   Bocs W	ie Mer, per picul ax, Japan, White, per picul ax, Hankow, Vellow, per picul.	\$17.20 to 17.50 \$14.00 to 46.50	Isinglass, Japan,	per picul \$33	00 to \$7.00 Sugar C	andy, Shek-lung, per piculandy, Fooshow, per piculandy,	1 \$7.75 to 7.90 \$8.5 to 8.60
Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.  HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	POOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS.	Hongkong, 1st July, 1881. [1240]	White Shirtings, A. White Shirtings, E. White Shirtings, M.	A, per pice IF, per pice IH, per pic	31.6	5 to 1.70 Birds' 5	Mosta, tal quality, por prout	4650 to 785	Machanana -	danies, ber biggi 24	50 to 4470 Vermice	lli, Tientsin, per picul	\$7.50 60 7270
Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. [1] NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [32]	A BORROUGHES & WATT'S SOLID MAHOGANY BILLIARD TABLE; Complete with	White Spotted Shir White Brocades, po	rtings; per	piece \$2.4	45 to 2.50   Birnsto 50, to 2.65   Bullain	Nosts, 3rd quality, per picul one, per picul	\$2.55 to 2.60 \$7.60 to 8.00	Mussels, Dry Siz Mussels, Dry Siz	in middle, per picul 3 ru smell, per picul 3	35 to 7.45 Wood C	hi, per ploudent to the Hage, per box	Tis. 6.3.0 to 6.3.5 3.15 to 3.2
COMPANY AT HAMBURG.  THE Undersigned, Agents for the above	TO LET.	Cues, Pool, Pyramid, &c., Balls, Marking Board, Rests, Extra Cloth. &c., &c.			et 11 24	rest of the second	g PPI	Fli a	E CHINA	VATERS.			
SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first	CAINE ROAD. Possession from 1st	Just arrived Per "GLENFALLOCH."  LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  Hongkong, 5th November, 1884. [49]	Transfer to the second	LARTVAL	CAPTAIN.	AND RIG. TON	и, домагомень.	TION.	YESSEL.	ARRIVAT CAPTAIN.	FLAG TONS	CONSIGNESS.	DESTINA-
class risks at current rates.  MELCHERS & Co.  Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	FOR SALE AT WHOLESALE PRICES.			A. A.		OVOICOVA.				IN PORT	OKOHAMA.	
NOTICE.	Hongkoug, 24th December, 1884. [37]	SACCONE'S SHERRY-Bottled by Sir Frederick Perkins, London.	Arbilles Airlie	Dec. 22	C. Anderson Fills J. Riley	Brit. str   1528 Brit. str   1493 Brit. str   1526	2 Russell & Co	Shanghai Adelaide Shanghai	A. Cashman Alma Black Diamont	July 12 Isaacs July 8 Boyd	Ger. sch 99 Am. sch 43 Ger. bk 670	F. Retz	
COMPANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com	COLLEGE CHAMBERS (late Hotel DE	MANZANILLA. In case of 1 dozen quarts.	Arratoon Apear	Dec. 29 Jan. 4		Fe. str   2477	7 Vassageries Maritimas 2 D. Sassage Sons & Co	3.5	Diana. Felix	Nov. 1 Sternberg	Am. sch 73 Ger, sch 86	Santal a	
FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett promium per Annum.	Nos. 4 & 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.	In case of I dozen quarts.  LAGER BIER—Pts. and Qts.	Renverue Carlabrooks	Den. 26 Jan. 2	Thomson Case	Brit. str 97	7   Wibb, Livingston & Co. 3   Wibb, Livingston & Co.	Saigon Hamburg			Brit. sh 1193	J. W. Palman	
NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th. May, 1881.	No. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL.  Apply to	ALE, Bass & Co., Pale—Qts. and Pts. STOUT, Guinness's Extra—Qts. and Pts. Apply to		Jan. 0		Brit. str   149 Brit. str   149	Signsson & Co Russoll & Co But Hin & Co	Hiogo	Mary C. Bohm Marone Nemo	Sept. 8 Oct. 2 Vin Pelt	Ger. soh 233 Brit, soh 94	P. Bolim Grosser & Co Owston, Show & Co	
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 187' IN HAMBURG.	Hongkong, 3rd January, 1883.	W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,  Bank Buildings,  Sole Agents for China.		Jan. 9	G. Shehse J. Maury Rowin		9 P.M.S. S. Co 0 Arnhold, Karberg & Co	S. Francisco	Otse ro Penelope Polynesian	Sept. 21 Ewalt Oct. 11 Van Pelt Oct. 11 MhcArthur	Brit.sch 69 Brit.sch 93 Brit.sch 1296	Captain Laurfeldt & Mayers	7
Company, are Prepared to ACCEP' RISKS at Current Rates.	Possession From 1st February next.	Hongkong, 21st November, 1884.	Danube De Bay	Deg. 20 Jan. 10	J. Newton J. J. Lie Stock	Brit. str 58 Brit. str 108 Brit. str —51	Yuen Fat Hong Alamson, Bell & Co Russell & Co	Bangkok Manila	Rose W. Minstrel	Nov. 25 Brassey Sept. 13 Servewrigh Dec. 26 Daly	Rus.sch 53 Brit. bk 289	Caphila	e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e
PUSTAU & Co., Agents.	Arbuthnot Road, at present occupied by	CHAS HELDSIECK'S	Djemnah Dubare Estrella	Jun. 10	Lequerre Schultz M. de Olea za	Fr. str 243 Ger. str 109	Messa jeries Maritimes Ran Hin & Co	A 7		Dec. 16 Bray	Amr. sh   1644	Soith Baker & Co	
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